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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Dean M. Homan and Dzevat Omeragic

Serial No.: 09/689,574

Filed: October 12, 2000

For: Method and Apparatus for Subsurface
Reservoir Monitoring With Antennas
Mounted on Permanently Disposed Tubulars

Group Art Unit: 2862

Examiner: Patidar, Jay M.

Atty. Dkt. No.: 20.2751

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136) AND
RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED SEPTEMBER 3, 2002**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of time for a period of one (1) month to file this response to the Office Action dated September 3, 2002. Upon approval of this Petition, this response is due on or before January 3, 2003. The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct the required fee from Deposit Account No. 19-0610. Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested in light of the following amendment and remarks.

AMENDMENT

In the Claims

A marked-up version of the section showing the changes is provided in Appendix A.

- Please reinstate original claims 1-10 and 38-47.

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